

As part of
The Kent Art Association's Celebration
of its 95th Year
1923-2018

The KAA is sponsoring a lecture series titled
“DISCOVERING OUR FOUNDERS”

Scheduled Talks are held on Saturdays at 3 PM at the KAA Gallery 21 So. Main St., Kent, CT;
860-927-3989 or www.kentart.org

(Lectures on **Rex Brasher** with **Karen Chase**, former President Committee to Build the Brasher Northrop Museum, **Robert Nisbet**: KAA first President, with **Amy Kurtz Lansing**; Expert on American Art and Curator at Florence Griswold Museum, Old Lyme, CT and a General Discussion about the KAA Founders with local historian **Roger Gonzales** have already been completed)

Willard Dryden Paddock: Sculptor famous for Fountains, Memorials, & Sundials and also painted murals and landscapes.

Saturday, August 11, 3 PM - **Deborah Chabrian & Ed Martinez** are artist's who live in Paddock's house and have done a great deal of research on him

Frederick Judd Waugh & James Floyd Clymer: Waugh noted for maritime paintings and Clymer was one of the early modernists

Saturday August 25, 3 PM: **Paul Gould**, former president KAA who was a friend of Clymer's who is Waugh's son-in-law.

Spencer Baird Nichols: Noted for his Portraits & Landscapes

Saturday, September 15, 3 PM - **Barbara J. Sussman**, Nichols Granddaughter

George Laurence Nelson: Noted for Portraits & Flower paintings; First VP of KAA

Saturday, November 17, 3 pm - **Marge Smith**, Curator Kent Historical Society and expert on Nelson, who left his home and numerous paintings to the KHS

To Be Announced: **Eliot Candee Clark & Francis Luis Mora** (Please contact Karen Chase at kchase341@icloud.com if you or someone you know would be interested in giving a talk on one or both of these artists)

